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Municipal Hail Insurance

So many inquiries have reached the Review regarding the operation of the Municipal Hall Insurance Act that it has been deemed advisable to give a synopsis so far as space permits.

The electors of the different municipalities have the privilege on February 20th, of saying whether they wish to adopt the Act or not.

Immediately following the voting a statement of the result will be forwarded to the Minister, and in the event of forty-five or more municipalities electing to come under the Act, the Minister may establish the municipal districts so electing "The Hall Insurance District."

After its organization, however, any of the hall insurance districts may, after the expiration of five years and by a by-law affirmed by the electors, withdraw from such hall insurance upon such terms as the Minister may deem just.

The board representing each district will comprise nine members, one member for each municipal district. Each member, who will receive a fixed salary, will receive remuneration upon the rate of eight dollars per day together with transportation and cost of subsistence.

Crop Report.

All owners or occupants of land liable to assessment under the Act must forward to the secretary of the municipal districts previous to June 1st a return, showing the acreage of the land owned, number of crops sown, and the amount of seed to be sown, and the rate to six dollars per acre.

Any owner can withdraw by giving notice previous to June 16th.

Any person owning a crop which is damaged by hail between June 1st and September 15th, both inclusive or in the case of fall wheat and rye, between June 1st and September 15th, shall within three days of damage, give notice by registered letter to the hail insurance board at Calgary.

An adjuster will then be sent to inspect the crop.

The maximum indemnity to be paid for total loss shall be eight dollars per acre.

From this, however, the board will deduct amounts of hail insurance tax together with ten per cent. of the total insurance carried until the proper rate is determined.

The rate for meeting expense of administration, indemnities, etc., will be fixed by the board previous to September 15th, and each municipal district will apply to the board for a certificate showing when the assessments can then be made and dispatched to owners of land within the district.

By the Act the board is given power to borrow money to meet expenses, but all monies must be deposited in a chartered bank in a trust fund to be styled "Hail Tax Trust Fund."

The Review has confined within the above essential points contained in the provisions of the Act, but should any of our readers require further information we will endeavor to supply them.

Winnifred.

Harry Winchcombe Sunday in Medicine Hat.

Mr. Carl Hillstad is convalescent nicely after another attack of the Leprosy.

J. H. Seestrom, Clarence Harris and J. L. Marsh motored to Medicine Hat on Sunday.

Mr. Munro was called to the home of Mrs. W. E. Kendal, her little girl being very sick.

Mrs. A. McKinley went to Medicine Hat with her baby on Saturday to receive medical aid.

Mrs. Beside Mills of Medicine Hat was visiting her brother Frank, here, for a few days.

The Norwegian Ladies Aid will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. Andy Bergan.

The Old Fellows are having another card party February 7th. An invitation is extended to everybody.

Freddie DeWald left Monday for Medicine Hat where he will attend school and also study catechism.

The U.P.A. dance given January 31st, was a great success and the U.P.A. W.A. Ladies served an excellent lunch.

Mrs. Rosenbeck is having a sale of farm machinery and all stock Tuesday, February 18th, beginning at 10 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Larsen and W. O. Larson motored to Lethbridge Monday and visited at Grassy Lake on Tuesday.

Tony Craig has been indisposed this week suffering from appendicitis. It is thought likely it will be necessary for him to undergo an operation soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. C. Freeman of Winnifred entertained at six o'clock Sunday dinner. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. P. Boening, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Scott.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. McDonald and Miss E. N. French appreciated Mr. Beguin's good evening.

Julian Levene donated a load of coal to the U.P.A. dance to have the U.P.A. raffled at 10 o'clock. Mr. Beguin of Bow Island being the winner. Mr. Beguin decided to favor the Winnifred school by purchasing a piano and presented the teachers with the lucky ticket. Miss A. M. McDonald and Miss E. N. French appreciated Mr. Beguin's good evening.

The local Missionary Society was organized on February 3rd with 15 members to start. Honorary Presid. Rev. A. L. Shibley; President Mrs. Jas. Castle First Vice-Pres. Mrs. Jas. Larson, Mrs. H. T. Larson; Mrs. A. N. McDonald, Mrs. C. E. Scott. The directors will be chosen by the officers quarterly. Saturday has been selected as their meeting day. February 22 will be the first general meeting. The entertainment committee had a meeting on February 6th.

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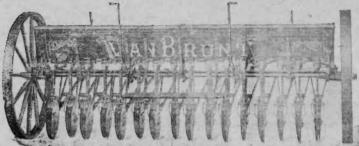
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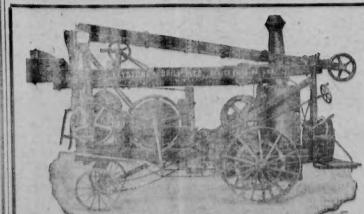
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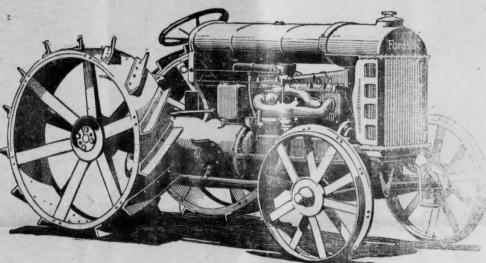
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EDITORIAL

The Value and Power of Co-operation

This is an age of organization, of consolidation, coupled with co-operation in effort. These became the watchwords of the financial and business world in the latter years of the nineteenth century, and resulted in the creation of great trusts, corporations, industrial and commercial combines and the amalgamation of many small concerns into huge enterprises. Many errors were committed, and much misery was created, which the people benefited, but, alas, the centering of great wealth and power in the hands of the few also led to great abuses and widespread corruption.

The organization and consolidation of capital had its sequel in the organization and consolidation of labor, the latter being compelled to this action by the desire of the former to protect its interests as against the former. Thus two in gulf forces were arrayed one against the other. Now, however, it is time to be generally recognized that the two should be partners and co-workers, that the best interests of the one are indissoluble from the other, that there should be co-operation, the one with the other, a co-ordination of efforts for the welfare of both.

In the conduct of the Great War the need for the most intense organization was quickly recognized, but it took home the lesson upon the allied nations the equal necessity of consolidation, of the closest possible co-operation, of co-ordination of effort to the common end desired by all. And it was not until thorough co-

operation and co-ordination of effort under a united command was effected that the allies moved steadily and irresistibly forward to victory.

With the organization of capital, came labor and for the advancement of that labor, it soon became apparent that that great body of men engaged in agriculture must likewise organize if they were to enter into the field of success in bringing about the removal of the handicaps and obstacles under which they as a class labored. The difficulties in the way of perfecting an organization of men scattered all over the rural sections of the country were enormous as to action for many years, and such attempts as were at first made ended in failure, until it came to the formation of a maximum that when it turned to business, and the workers in centers of population, might successfully organize, such action was not possible among farmers.

With the dawn of the twentieth century, however, and the financial crisis had become so acute in Western Canada that a handful of courageous farmers determined to make the attempt to do this. The Grain Growers' Association was born, with a result now known to all the world. In the short space of seventeen years, the Grain Growers' Association has become the strongest in Canada. In numbers, it is the largest in this country, having over 100,000 members in the three Prairie Provinces.

With organization the power of the individual members was multiplied and a mighty force. After making common cause against the handicaps and abuses which were threatening all their efforts, and having succeeded in largely removing these, the great farmers next turned their attention to giving practical effect to the principles of co-operation in the management of their own business affairs, and again with unparalleled success.

In unity there is strength, but the strength of a chain is measured by its weakest link, and the strength of an organization is limited by its weakest member. The various organizations and their great co-operative undertakings have accomplished some wonderful things in their brief history, but ever greater opportunities for usefulness will present themselves in the future. In the new entering, in order that they may exert their full power and influence for good they should receive the undivided support of all the people, and in every case, failing to do this, they have hitherto held aloof from these great semi-public institutions should enroll as members and contribute their part to the common cause of all.

In a community a community should look unto itself or for itself alone, he has a duty towards others and in the discharge of that duty he will receive much that he gives. This is true not only of the individual, but of the organizations to which referred have been made, but in connection with the religious, moral, educational, municipal and social life of the community. Ancient history proves that by co-operation certain results can be effected and lasting achievements recorded which are utterly impossible of realization by the effort of one.

But by organization, co-operation, co-ordination, no effort of effort mountains of difficulty can be removed and permanent good accomplished.

It Will Prevent Ulcerated Throat.
The first symptoms of sore throat, which prefaces ulcerated throat, are the same as those of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Add a little sugar to make a poultice to prevent the ulceration and swelling that are so apt to follow. This poultice is especially suited to quinsy, thus made themselves immune to attack.

Entirely Domestic Question.
Paris. — President Wilson told a deputation of women representing the women of France when he was led up to him that the peace conference included women suffrage among the points of settlement, that much as he sympathized with their cause, he could not well make a definite question for the several nations. He said he believed that it would be considered quite outside the province of the conference if it "undertook to dictate to the several states what their internal policy should be."

Minard's Liniment Cures Diphtheria.

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TO-DAY

In medicines, as in every other necessity, the public is satisfied with what is good. This explains the ever-increasing demand for Zam-Buk. Not only is this great medicine, but it is also very remedy today, but it is also the most economical.

Its great superiority is due to the fact that it is all medicine, containing none of the common animal fat or oil which are often used in ordinary ointments. Again, the unique quality of this ointment is the maximum amount of healing, soothing and antiseptic properties of little of this balm goes a long way.

Another reason why Zam-Buk is so popular is that it is a great remedy for skin diseases, such as eczema, ringworm, and piles. All dealers, 60c. box.

Zam-Buk

Thinks Japan to Be Future German.
Fort William, Ont. — "War is over and a thing of the past," said Peter Wright, of the British Sales Union, who spoke to a Canadian club meeting. "The next great war will be between the United States and Germany, though it may not be in our generation. Japan, to my mind, will be the future Germany of the world.

Dr. Chase Their Family Doctor.

Experience Has Proven the Dependability of the Great Receipt Book Author.

Hyas, Sask., Feb. 5.—Many Westerners are not from doctors and are unskilled. On this account, it is necessary to have at hand such medicine as will be required in case of sickness and disease.

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Alberta in the "Movies."

Films Showing Various Phases of Farm Life in Western Canada.
Residents of the United States are at present having an opportunity of seeing Alberta in its true light in many of their cities and towns. A series of films showing various phases of farm life in Western Canada, are being run at the leading theatres in the country. One deals with irrigation farming in Alberta, another with the work of the irrigation districts, and the third with the land and dairy industries.

The pictures show the progress of the industry and some of the reasons why it has progressed so rapidly. Still another picture shows the lighter side of the life of the farmer and his family. Mountain mountain scenes is shown in connection with a trip to the Rockies.

The impression one gains from the series is that Alberta is a great state to live in, and after seeing these pictures many people have to realize that they had formed of the country the best possible opinion.

Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, one pill a dose, 25c a box. At all dealers, 60c. box. Toronto. Look for the portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M.D., on the box.

Air Force to Be Maintained.
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Spanish are Restless

Barcelona, Spain. — The situation in Barcelona is becoming disquieting and numerous street fights occur daily, especially at night, between Catalans and followers of Count Bonaparte, the Spanish dictator. Several persons have been wounded in these clashes. It was reported that two were killed in a clash, but the minister of the interior issued an official denial, saying that they were wounded.

The police are making wholesale visits to private houses and many weapons have been found and confiscated.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza.
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A Quick Relief for Headache.
A headache is frequently caused by badly digested food, the gases and acids resulting therefrom are absorbed by the brain, which in turn irritates the nerves and causes painful symptoms called neuralgia, etc. 15 to 30 drops of Mother Sop's Syrup will correct faulty digestion and afford relief.

Mixed Farming.
Growth of Mixed Farming Is a Sign of Prosperity and Stability.

The growth of mixed farming in a district is a sign of prosperity and stability. Here is a summary of operations from a correspondent at Cains, Alberta, the progress of which is typical of many districts in Western Canada.

"This district has done what it

could for the supplies of food and help in other ways to overcome those difficulties which have been met in a grain crop, but a good number of fat cattle went from here. The prospects for stock are good for another year. They have had fine weather up till now, and are in good condition. The market price of stock in this district is as to the number of stock in the district and find there are about ten for every one that was in 1911."

May Ship Building Material.

American Headquarters in Germany. — The unemployed problem in the occupied portion of Germany is expected to be solved soon by the growth of import regulations. Under these rules German factories will be allowed to import raw materials from other parts of Germany. Manufactured products will be shipped to Switzerland, France and Belgium, however, may be exported only to those countries.

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cording to a report received here from Berlin, have advanced from Baku and occupied the trans-Caucasian rail-

road. The report adds that the British have also occupied Petrovsk and Astrakhan, at the mouth of the Volga river.

Minard's Liniment Cures Gargle in Cows.

A Rough Customer.

Landsby (to unshaven boarder)

— See here young man, you'll have to shave often. You've worn out nearly all the pillow cases in the house.

Alberta Horse Sales for \$35,000.

Calgary, Feb. 5.—Alberta is gain-

ing a high place in the estimation of

breeders on the North-American con-

tinent is evidenced by the fact that

several remarkable sales are being

recorded. The latest is Sir Ivan,

an Alberta-bred stallion, sold for \$35,000. This is an Alberta-bred

horse, his sire is Sibbad and his

dam Lucy C., whose sire was Ormond.

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The complete *Six Quirt of Catarrhose* is sufficient for two months' treatment, and is guaranteed. Smaller size, 50¢, at all dealers, or the Catarrhose Co., Kingston, Ont.

The City or Country, Which?

Rural Y.M.C.A. Striving to Bring Better Young People Adventures of Country Life

In the recent years there has been a great deal of discussion about the city-ward movement and we are always wondering why the country people had to leave the country districts especially when, in a great many cases, their economic conditions have been good.

It is often the case that the boy or girl who leaves the country to go to the city and have taken a position that would not pay them over half what they could have made on the farm. They have stinted themselves and lived in unfavorable conditions for a long time, have been sorry for the "down boy" who has remained in the country.

Many reasons are advanced why these are thus, some of which are good, others not so good. It is hard to say everyone, but there are many causes that could be remedied if we look into the matter clearly.

Perhaps the greatest trouble is that we are not doing everything for the girl is not sharing the inherent value of the country life. In many cases the teacher is using the country school as a stepping stone for the city and cultural life. This is a great value in advantages of the country life. The minister is often preaching in the small country church with the vision of great city congregations and magnificence.

Many of the young men are impressed by the lure of high wages of the city to send their sons and daughters from the farm. With all this to contend with, is there any wonder that the farm is being deserted?

Among the many agencies that are trying to combat this evil is the Rural Y. M. C. A., which, as a local organization, is striving to bring leadership to the clear, bright boys.

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As agriculture is the base of our industry, so is it the base of our social and economic structure. No much time can be given to its betterment and conservation.

Agricultural Extension Schools

Short courses schools during the winter months are becoming more and more popular every year in Western Canada.

From January to March

the courses are of two weeks,

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Masquerade Dance
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Diamond Tires and Auto Accessories.
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Every piece of Winter Wear in the store at Greatly Reduced Prices

Ladies' regular \$9.75 Fancy Wool Sweater Coat

Ladies' regular \$4.00 to 5.50 Sweater Coats at

Regular \$7.00 Grey Wool Blankets at

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25 per cent off on LADIES' COATS.

33 1-3 per cent off on CHILD'S COATS.

33 1-3 per cent off on OVER-SKIRTS.

33 1-2 per cent off on all FANCY CHINA.

Local and General.

Fifty cases of whiskey were recently found in the basement of the C.P.R. Station.

J. Hurd and Mr. R. S. Beattie have been gazetted commissioners to administer affidavits.

J. W. Prelman returned to Santa Monica on Thursday. John, we wish you luck, old boy, but don't forget those oranges.

Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Beattie and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Stone were visitors to Lethbridge this week.

Send a Valentine to your sweetheart if you like, but don't forget to take her to the masquerade ball to be given by the Rebekah Lodge on St. Valentine's Day (February 14th).

Among the improvements to be effected by the C.P.R. along this section of their line, the most important at the present and Ossawa Lake. The man with the diving rod at Bow Island apparently failed to interest the officials.

The following officers were installed in the Bow Island Legion on January 21st: A. Miller, W.M.; A. Kufle, D.M.; G.E. Still, Chaplain; C. Barkman, K.S.; J. W. Proudfit, F.S.; L. Stengel, treasurer; J. Pollett, lecturer; H. G. Nevers, D. of C.

The Ladies Catholic Alter Society will hold a card party in St. Michael Hall on the 18th instant. One of the features of the entertainment will be a drawing on a hand-antiqued cushion. Music will be furnished and a lunch served. Admission 50c.

A big irrigation meeting will be held at Tabor on Thursday next, February 11th, the object of which is to urge upon the dominion government the project of an irrigation scheme for the whole of western Alberta. This matter is of vital interest to Bow Island district and it is hoped that someone from here will be present.

A lively discussion in connection with the new legislation was held at the meeting of the Bow Island U.E.A., during which it was clearly evident that the members did not altogether agree with certain provisions of the Act. A strong time after words was much enjoyed.

Announcement has been made that this year neither the Provincial nor the Dominion government will undertake to distribute Fordson tractors. Last year the Fordson tractor was associated with the result that in Alberta alone 400 of these tractors were distributed through this agency. This year they will be distributed through the regular Ford dealers.

Mr. Strachan, the enterprising manager of the Whalen Land Co., even after a long and money-saving device, including the use of a small tractor, a few days ago, gave up his tractor and took a break of fortune for that the house should be long before it was inhabited by the man who gave it him. He was given a name which has turned out to be so appropriate.

He now resides in his home where our blind heroes are taught to be ever cheerful, bright and happy amidst the difficulties of life. The school is in need of funds with which to still carry on the work. The school is kept open until 10 P.M. and depends for its funds and the after care department needs help too. So that every one is earnestly asked to make a donation whether large or small, all will be wel-

come of these cases a man took his wife twenty miles to catch the train for Lethbridge to attend a case after being driven a long distance. The woman arrived at the hospital in such weakened condition that it was hardly possible to perform a operation, deemed necessary. These cases are only too numerous to make a strong argument and certainly deserve the consideration of those who deprecate the establishment of a local municipal hospital.

Masks and costumes for the big masquerade ball to be given by the Rebekah Lodge on St. Valentine's Day may be obtained at the Bow Island Drug and Stationery Store (Blaine's). Order early to save disappointment.

The Churches.

UNITED CHURCH.

The United Church—Legion service at 7 P.M. on the 18th next. Rev. V. M. Gilbert will give his first talk on "Our Bible." Sunday School at 11 a.m. Bible study at eight o'clock on Wednesday evening. Everybody welcome to these services.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS.
Mr. P.A. Rich will speak at the Gospel hall on Sunday February 9th, at 3:30 p.m., citing many scriptures to us prove that "God has a special mission for us today." A general invitation is extended to all to come and hear him.

St. Dunstan's Hostel

So often is the question asked, "How did St. Dunstan get his name?" that it will not be out of place to tell little about the patron saint after whom the school is named. St. Dunstan was present in his career certain curious points of resemblance to the St. Dunstan of today.

He lived nearly 2,000 years ago, and from humble beginnings rose to be Abbot of Glastonbury and Archbishop of Canterbury.

He ordained that every priest in England should learn a simple trade in order that he might support those who were lame, infirm, or foolish, from the earnings of the vigorous outdoor employments which were then the usual means of gaining a livelihood.

Legend has it that St. Dunstan once snatched and tormented him, whereupon the lusty youth made a pair of pinchers and twanged the nose of his saintly master so sharply that he fled in haste. This is the reason why the St. Dunstan of today banishes with equal promptitude the devils of despair, hopelessness and apathy.

St. Dunstan's Hostel is a great

success and its success lies in the

fact that the school is run on a

strict budget.

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come, a personal receipt will be for

warded and also duly acknowledged

in the newspapers.

Donations must only be sent to the

Honorary Sec.Treas., for the blind pleased to give full information.

soldiers' fund and should not be sent

through any other society.

Mrs. B. T. Whitney is the duly appointed repre-

sentative for Bow Island, who will be

glad to receive any information.

For further information, address

the Honorary Sec.Treas.,

St. Dunstan's Hostel, Bow Island.

Or the Rev. Mr. P. A. Rich, United

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Or the Rev. Mr. V. M. Gilbert, Sev-

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